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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

We need a competitive internet to keep prices in line. It's vital to small business. I have fiber today through a small company, providing service in my rural area, and likewise phone, when previously all I could get was DSL.

Support broadband competition. Stop big companies like AT&T from cutting off competition.

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